

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

## REGULAR OR DESIGN APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

## SELECTIVE COX-2 INHIBITION FROM EDIBLE PLANT EXTRACTS

the specification of which, with any Preliminary Amendment, (check one)

☐ is attached hereto

☒ was filed on December 15, 2000 as Application Serial No. 09/737,892 and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a)

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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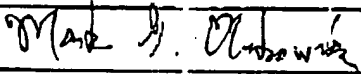
POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint as attorneys/agents: S. CHRISTOPHER BAUER, Registration No. 42,307; DENNIS A. BENNETT, Registration No. 34,547; JAMES C. FORBES, Registration No. 39,457; J. TIMOTHY KEANE, Registration No. 27,808; RICHARD A. MUELLER, Registration No. 41,094; ROGER A. WILLIAMS, Registration No. 27679; SCOTT A. WILLIAMS to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger  
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## 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: Pharmacia Corporation

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City: Skokie State: Illinois Zip: 60077

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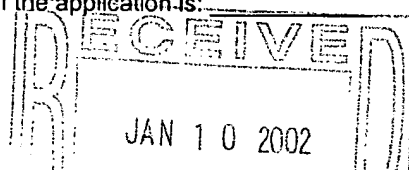
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09/737,892

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## ASSIGNMENT

**WHEREAS,** We Mark G. Obukowicz of Kirkwood, Missouri and Susan L. Hummert of <sup>Overland</sup> ~~St. Ann~~, Missouri, have invented an improvement in SELECTIVE COX-2 INHIBITION FROM EDIBLE PLANT EXTRACTS (File 3374(PHA 4140)) and have executed an application for a United States patent based thereon Serial No. 09/737,892, filed December 15, 2000

**AND, WHEREAS,** Pharmacia Corporation of Skokie, Illinois, a corporation of the State of Delaware (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE") is desirous of acquiring certain rights thereunder;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** for one dollar and other good and valuable consideration, receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, we have agreed to and do hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest in and throughout the United States of America (including its territories and dependencies) and all countries foreign thereto in and to said invention, said United States application, any other United States applications (including provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuing, or reissue applications) based in whole or in part on said United States application or in whole or in part on said invention, any foreign applications based in whole or in part on any of the aforesaid United States applications or in whole or in part on said invention, and any and all patents (including extensions thereof) of any country which have been or may be granted on any of the aforesaid applications or on said invention or any part thereof;

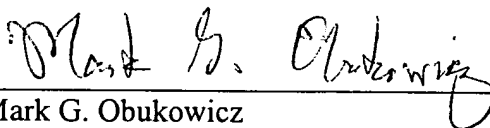
**TO BE HELD AND ENJOYED** by said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had no sale and assignment of said interest been made;

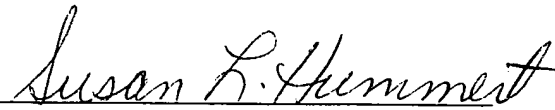
**AND We** hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States of America to issue any and all United States patents which may be granted upon said United States applications or any of them, or upon said invention or any part thereof, to said ASSIGNEE;

**AND We** hereby jointly and severally agree for ourselves and for our respective heirs, executors and administrators, to execute without further consideration any further lawful documents and any further assurances, and any provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuing, reissue, or other applications for patents of any country, that may be deemed necessary by said ASSIGNEE fully to secure to said ASSIGNEE its interest as aforesaid in and to said invention or any part thereof, and in and to said several patents or any of them;

**AND We** hereby jointly and severally covenant for ourselves and our respective legal representatives that we have granted no right or license to make, use or sell said invention, to anyone except said ASSIGNEE, that prior to the execution of this deed our right, title and interest in said invention had not been otherwise encumbered, and that we have not executed and will not execute any instrument in conflict herewith.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, we have hereunto set our hands.

  
Mark G. Obukowicz

  
Susan L. Hummert

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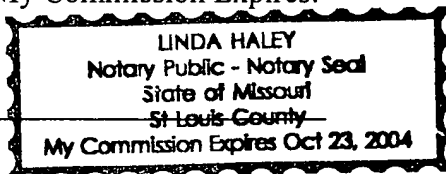
STATE OF Missouri  
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On this 20 day of November, 2001, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Mark G. Obukowicz to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged that he executed same as his free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the date and year last above written.

Linda Haley  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:



STATE OF Missouri  
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On this 30 day of November, 2001, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Susan L. Hummert to me known to be the person described, in and who executed, the foregoing assignment and acknowledged that he executed same as his free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal and the date and year last above written.

Linda Haley  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

